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## **Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)**

The amo	endment	document filed on06/04/04 is considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the					
requiren	nents of 3	37 CFR 1.121, as amended on June 30, 2003 (see 68 Fed. Reg. 38611, Jun. 30, 2003). In order for the					
amendn	ient docu	ment to be compliant, correction of the following item(s) is required. Only the corrected section of the non-					
complia	nt amen	dment document must be resubmitted (in its entirety), e.g., the entire "Amendments to the claims" section					
of appli	cant's ai	mendment document must be re-submitted. 37 CFR 1.121(h).					
THE FO	LLOWI	NG CHECKED (X) ITEM(S) CAUSE THE AMENDMENT DOCUMENT TO BE NON-COMPLIANT:					
		. Amendments to the specification:					
		A. Amended paragraph(s) do not include markings.					
		B. New paragraph(s) should not be underlined.					
	_	C. Other					
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		A. Not presented on a separate sheet. 37 CFR 1.72.					
		B. Other					
	3. Amer	adments to the drawings:					
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		A. A complete listing of <u>all</u> of the claims is not present.					
		B. The listing of claims does not include the text of all claims (including withdrawn claims)					
		C. Each claim has not been provided with the proper status identifier, and as such, the individual status of each					
	<b>F</b>	claim cannot be identified.					
		D. The claims of this amendment paper have not been presented in ascending numerical order.					
		E. Other: The text of all pending claims was not presented. If the amendment adds, changes, deletes or cancels					
	any clair	n, a listing of all claims that are, or were, in the application, must be provided. The claims must be listed in					
	ascending numerical order. A status identifier must be presented in parentheses after the claim number for each claim;						
	for exan	pple: Claim 1 (Original), Claims 24-94 (Cancel) ect.					

For further explanation of the amendment format required by 37 CFR 1.121, see MPEP Scc. 714 and the USPTO website at <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/dapp/opla/preognotice/officeflyer.pdf">http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/dapp/opla/preognotice/officeflyer.pdf</a>.

If the non-compliant amendment is a **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**, applicant is given ONE MONTH from the mail date of this letter to supply the corrected section which complies with 37 CFR 1.121. Failure to comply with 37 CFR 1.121 will result in non-entry of the preliminary amendment and examination on the merits will commence without consideration of the proposed changes in the preliminary amendment(s). This notice is not an action under 35 U.S.C. 132, and **this ONE MONTH time limit is not extendable**.

If the non-compliant amendment is a reply to a NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION (including a submission for an RCE), and since the amendment appears to be a *bona fide* attempt to be a reply (37 CFR 1.135(c)), applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of ONE MONTH from the mailing of this notice within which to re-submit the corrected section which complies with 37 CFR 1.121 in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD ARE AVAILABLE UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**.

If the amendment is a reply to a **FINAL REJECTION**, this form may be an attachment to an Advisory Action. <u>The period for response to a final rejection continues to run from the date set in the final rejection</u>, and is not affected by the non-compliant

status of the amendment.			
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